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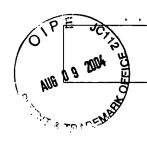
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Applicants respond herein to the Notice To File Missing Parts mailed June 23, 2004. The two-month response period from the mailing date of the Notice is August 23, 2004. The Applicants, therefore, file this response to the Notice on this date in compliance with the twomonth period given to the Applicants.

A copy of the Notice To File Missing Parts in enclosed herewith. In addition, a fully-executed inventor declaration is enclosed to complete the filing requirements. A check in the amount of \$130 is enclosed to cover the surcharge as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(1) for late filing of a fully-executed inventor declaration (\$130 large entity).

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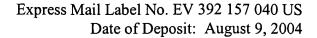
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Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-identified nonprovisional patent application please find the following listed items.

- 1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts;
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- 3. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application; and
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